

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### ***When will the course commence?***

We are currently on track to commence in March 2022.

### ***How can I enrol?***

By submitting an EOI we'll ensure you are contacted and advised on how to enrol. Otherwise keep an eye out on the aicwa website for updates [www.aicwa.com.au](http://www.aicwa.com.au)

### ***How much will it cost?***

WCPT are yet to determine the cost but we anticipate the course fee will be approximately \$5k

### ***How long does it take to complete the course?***

The course comprises of 15 units, it is expected to take 18months to complete with students given a further 6 months (2 years) in which to complete the course.

### ***Will there be recognised prior learning (RPL)?***

Yes, however, the precise nature of the RPL given may vary and assessments will be made on the merit of each individual case by WCPT.

### ***Do I become a licensed settlement agent on completion?***

The issuing of licenses is administered by the Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety (DMIRS) who currently require a minimum of 2 years practical experience under the supervision of a Licensed Settlement Agent or Legal Practitioner. Experience can be accumulated while completing the Advanced Diploma.

### ***Can I complete the course online?***

Yes. It is likely that face-to-face training will be held one day a fortnight, if you are unable to attend due to the significant distance required for you to travel then you are able to attend virtually via a webinar. The expectation is that you will interact with trainers and students much like you would if you were physically in attendance.

### ***How big are the class sizes?***

As yet there is no limit but, in all likelihood, numbers are expected to be capped at 30.

### ***Can I only enrol once a year?***

It is our intention to run two streams per year whereby a student can enrol to commence in February or July each year.

***Is the cost of the course eligible for a VET Student Loan?***

The AICWA has previously lobbied and obtained approval for this course to be eligible for a VET Student Loan from the Australian Government to assist students with paying tuition fees. The maximum amount that can be loaned for this course is **\$5,264**. Learn more [HERE](#)

***Can my employer apply for a traineeship?***

No not yet but AICWA is exploring this option.

***Further enquiries?***

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